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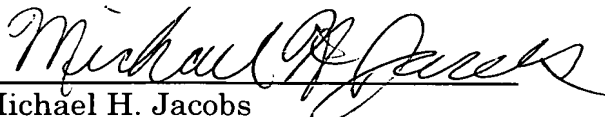
Sir:

1 sheet of Formal drawing (showing Fig. 1) meeting the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.84 is hereby submitted.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any such fee or any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 05-1323, Docket No.: 010408.52553US.

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